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RESPONSE TO RESTRICTION REQUIREMENT

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Sir:

In response to the Restriction Requirement June 8, 2005, Applicants herewith elect the claims of Group I (claims 1-6) drawn to a power transmission belt.

This election is done without traverse. Applicants reserve the right to file a divisional application on the claims of Group II (claims 7-12) drawn to a belt drive system.

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